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UNSUMMARY

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1976

GOVERNOR SCRANTON MEETS POLAND'S PERMREP --

POLAND'S PERMREP JAROSZEK, WHO IS EXPECTED TO BE COMMITTEE 1 CHAIRMAN AT THE FORTHCOMING GA, TOLD GOV SCRANTON HE HOPED THE U.S. WOULD REGARD THE UN MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS OF ANGOLA AND VIETNAM FROM A "MULTILATERAL" RATHER THAN A "BILATERAL" CONFIDENTIAL

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POINT OF VIEW. SCRANTON REPLIED MIA REMAINED ACUTE PROBLEM,

AND THERE WAS QUESTION OF VIETNAM'S ABROGATION OF THE PARIS AGREEMENTS. HE ALSO SPOKE OF U.S. VIEWS ON FOREIGN MILITARY PRESENCE IN ANGOLA. JAROSZEK SEEMED TO AGREE THAT THE NONALIGNED WERE LOSING THEIR NONALIGNMENT, AND REMARKED THAT SOVIETS WERE GROWING DISENCHANTED WITH THE NONALIGNED, PARTICULARLY LATTER'S EFFORTS TO PROMOTE SPECIAL GA ON DISARMAMENT. (YUGOSLAVS SAID THEY ARE MAKING THIS A SPECIAL INITIATIVE AT GA). JAROSZEK PERSONALLY SHARED SCRANTON'S HOPE THAT CONFRONTATION COULD BE AVOIDED IN THE GA ON KOREA, BUT FULLY EXPECTED TO BE FACED WITH THE ITEM IN COMMITTEE. HE MADE CLEAR HE HAD LITTLE SYMPATHY FOR NORTH KOREA'S HIGH-PRESSURE TACTICS AT THE UN. HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT, TECHNICALLY, PUERTO RICO SHOULD NOT EVEN BE CONSIDERED IN THE COMMITTEE OF 24, SINCE IT IS NOT ON THE LIST OF NONJA SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 3098)

PUERTO RICO AND THE COMMITTEE OF 24 --

COMMITTEE OF 24 CHAIRMAN SALIM (TANZANIA) TOLD GOV SCRANTON HE BELIEVES THAT WHAT HAPPENS AT COLOMBO ON PUERTO RICO WILL HAVE AN IMPORTANT EFFECT ON WHAT HAPPENS IN THE COMMITTEE OF 24, WHICH WILL MEET ON PUERTO RICO AFTER COLOMBO. HE WILL BE IN NEW YORK TO CHAIR THE MEETING, BUT PLANS TO BE AN UTTERLY IMPARTIAL CHAIRMAN, WORKING -- IF AT ALL -- FOR DISCUSSION OF PUERTO RICO WITH NO SUBSTANTIVE ACTION OR WITH REAFFIRMATION OF THE COMMITTEE'S 1973 POSITION. HE ASKED USUN TO BE PREPARED WITH LANGUAGE FOR A STATEMENT OR RESOLUTION REGARDING THOSE OPTIONS. HE DOES NOT BELIEVE THAT POSTPONEMENT WITHOUT ANY SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSION LIKELY BECAUSE IT WOULD TAKE "SOMETHING LIKE 17" FAVORABLE VOTES.

ACCORDING TO REID (AUSTRALIA), COMMITTEE OF 24 CHAIRMAN SALIM INDICATED HE SAW POSTPONEMENT AFTER DEBATE ON PUERTO RICO AS SOMETHING HE COULD "GO ALONG WITH." FORRESTER (AUSTRALIA) REPORTED THAT PAVICEVIC (YUGOSLAVIA) TOLD HIM THAT IN SPITE OF RECENT DIFFICULTIES BETWEEN THE U.S. AND YUGOSLAVIA HE DID NOT THINK YUGOSLAVIA WOULD ATTEMPT TO ATTACK THE U.S. ON PUERTO RICO IN COMMITTEE OF 24. PAVICEVIC HAD ALSO SAID THAT THE CUBANS WERE AWAITING OUTCOME OF THE NONALIGNED MEETING BEFORE DECIDING HOW TO APPROACH CONFIDENTIAL

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PUERTO RICO IN THE COMMITTEE OF 24. JOHANSEN (NORWAY)
SAID HE HAD BEEN TOLD BY PAVICEVIC THAT ON BASIS OF RECENT
CONVERSATIONS WITH OTHER COMMITTEE OF 24 MEMBERS POSTPONEMENT
FOLLOWING DISCUSSION OF PUERTO RICO WOULD CARRY BY LARGE
MAJORITY, WITH ONLY SEVEN MEMBERS OBJECTING. PAVICEVIC HAD
TOLD JOHANSEN HE WOULD LIKE TO COOPERATE WITH THE U.S.
ON PUERTO RICO, BUT IN EVENT OF ANY IMPLIED THREAT BY THE
U.S. HE WOULD IMMEDIATELY INFORM BELGRADE AND STRONGLY

RECOMMEND OPPOSITION TO POSTPONEMENT. JOHANSEN SAID PAVICEVIC ASKED HIM TO INFORM USUN THAT BELGRADE IS VERY CONCERNED ABOUT WHAT IT PERCEIVES AS "ANTI-YUGOSLAV" MOOD IN THE U.S. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 3101, 3099)

BELIZE --

GUATEMALAN PERMREP ASENSIO-WUNDERLICH TOLD GOV SCRANTON HE IS HOPEFUL THAT ONGOING TALKS WITH HMG ON BELIZE WILL BE PRODUCTIVE. HE FEELS GUATEMALA SHOULD TAKE NO ACTION ON BELIZE IN THE UN, AND SAID HE IS CONSIDERING NOT EVEN "GOING TO THE FOURTH COMMITTEE." HE COMMENTED IT IS HARDER AND HARDER TO GET ANY CONSENSUS IN THE LATIN AMERICAN GROUP AT THE UN BECAUSE THE CARIBBEANS, UNDER JAMAICAN LEADERSHIP, ARE SO INTRACTABLE, AND HE ACCUSED JAMAICA OF PUSHING BELIZE INTO "ITS PRESENT UNEASINESS" IN A SEARCH FOR LAND FOR JAMAICA'S OVERCROWDED POPULATION. HE THOUGHT IT MIGHT BE USEFUL IF THE CARIBBEANS VOLUNTARILY WITHDREW FROM THE LATIN AMERICAN GROUP. EXPRESSING FEAR OF CUBA, ASENSIO-WUNDERLICH SAID "IF THE CUBANS CAN FLY 12,000 MEN TO ANGOLA, THEY CAN SWIM TO GUATEMALA." (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 3094)

CYPRUS IN THE 31ST GA --

ITALIAN MISOFF TALLARIGO DISCLOSED THAT TURKS HAD SOUGHT ITALIAN SUPPORT FOR ALLOCATION OF GA AGENDA ITEM ON CYPRUS TO THE SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE, INSTEAD OF GA PLENARY, IN ORDER TO AVOID ANNUAL CONTROVERSY OVER REQUEST OF LEADER OF TURKISH FEDERATED STATE OF CYPRUS TO SPEAK IN PLENARY. TALLARIJO THOUGHT THAT ALLOCATING ITEM TO SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE WITHOUT FIRST DEBATING IT IN PLENARY WOULD MEET WITH STRONG GREEK AND CYPRIOT OPPOSITION AND COULD ESTABLISH BAD PRECEDENT. HE DOUBTED ITALY OR EC-9 WOULD SUPPORT CONFIDENTIAL

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RHODESIAN SANCTIONS COMMITTEE --

COMMITTEE DEVOTED AUGUST 3 MEETING PRINCIPALLY TO REVIEW OF PENDING CASES, AND SCHEDULED NEXT MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER 9, WHEN IT WILL BEGIN FURTHER DISCUSSIONS UNDER HEADING "EXPANSION OF SANCTIONS." U.S. REPRESENTATIVE PRESENTED QUARTERLY REPORT OF CHROME IMPORTATION FOR PERIOD OCT. 1-DEC .31, 1975. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 3100

LAW OF THE SEA (LOS) CONFERENCE --ARTICLE-BY-ARTICLE REVIEW OF PART IV OF THE REVISED SINGLE NEGOTIATING TEXT WAS BEGUN IN INFORMAL PLENARY SESSION AUGUST 3. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 3104)

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IN COMMITTEE 3, CHAIRMAN YANKOV (BULGARIA) OUTLINED HIS PROCEDURAL QUESTIONS AND INDICATED THAT HE FELT THE KEY ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED WERE: REGIME TO GOVERN MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, PARTICULARLY WITHIN ECONOMIC ZONE; COASTAL STANDARD SETTING FOR POLLUTION CONTROL WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL SEA, AND THE RELATED COORDINATION PROBLEMS; AND TECHNICAL TRANSFER, AND COORDINATION WITH COMMITTEE 1. (USUN 3103)

31ST GA SCHEDULE --

FROM THE SECRETARIAT, USUN RECEIVED THE SCHEDULE FOR THE OPENING MEETINGS OF THE 31ST GA, WHICH IS TO CONVENE SEPTEMBER 21, BEGIN GENERAL DEBATE SEPTEMBER 27, AND CONCLUDED DECEMBER 21. (USUN 3097)

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